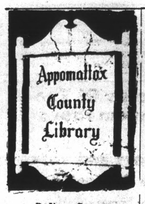

RANDY HIPPS AND TERRY WOMACK, members of the Vocational-Industrial Clubs of America, are showing the stereophonic music system they helped build to Mr. Frank Coffey, director of the ACHS Band. The system was built as a club project by the Vocational Electronics students for the High School Music Dept. The students designed and built the speaker enclosures and overhauled the amplifier. Funds for the project were donated by the Band Boosters.

By Verna Conner

Luther said, "Every good book is an action and every great action is a book". There is plenty of action in the books by Ellen Glasgow who has been called "one of the few major American novelists". If you wish to be entertained and also to reminisce about the "good old days", I would suggest that you go to the library and get all of the books they have by this celebrated author. I thought I had read them all but if so I had forgoiten them and they are very good. Two of them which I have just finished reading are entitled, **The Voice of the People** and **The Battle-Ground** which deal with the days preceding and during the Civil War. The others which I am planning to read are -- **The Miller of Old Church; Vein of Iron; In This Our Life; One Man in His Time** and **The Sheltered Life.**

Miss Glasgow says if she had her life to live over she would try to refrain from writing a book until she had lived thirty years. She says, "I cannot tell whether I loved Dickens because he pitied the deformed, the half-witted, the abandoned or those impeded or misunderstood, or whether the early influence of Dickens made me sympathize so passionately with these unhappy creatures."

Most of her heroines are girls who hated cruelty in any form and would go so far as to search the fields for traps their brothers or friends had set for animals and turn them loose.

In the preface to the book, **The Voice of the People,** Miss Glasgow states, "When one is born a novelist there is no escaping, while one is still alive, that uncertain and troubled fate."

Something I especially like about this author is that she captures the imagination and the interest of the reader right from the beginning. Listen to this, "It was past four o'clock on a sunny day in October when a stranger, who had ridden over the corduroy road between Applegate and Old Church, dismounted before the small public house known to its frequenters as Bottom's Ordinary". This is the beginning of the book called **The Miller of Old Church** and I can hardly wait to see who this stranger was and what he did, etc.

There are about five of the new books which I shall tell you about when I am able to get them but so far they have been out when I was in the library. Their titles are as follows: **The Peacock Spring** by Rummer Godden; **Thursday's Child** by Faith Baldwin; **The Italian Woman** by Jean Plaidy; **The Singing Swans** by Alexandra Manners and **Wellspring** by Janice Holt Giles. There is also a new book of **Charlie Brown's Super Book of Things to Do and Collect.**

Chestnut Grove

Sunday School -10 a.m.
Worship Service -11 a.m. -3rd Sunday each month

To the churches and public, if you would like to enter some one in the Fashion Show at Chestnut Grove Baptist Church, please send their name into the clerk no later than May 23, 1976, Rt. 1, Box 627, Appomattox.

The Fashion Show is May 30, 1976 at 4 p.m. at Chesnut Grove Baptist Church, Appomattox. Mr. Paul Gardner and his guest will render music. Judges will be of Lynchburg and Appomattox. You are invited.

Mrs. Louise Harvey, Clerk
Dr. Davis, Pastor

HOLLYWOOD

Revival services begins at Hollywood Baptist Church Sunday night, May 16, at 8 p.m. Rev. R. G. Rowland, of Gretna, will be the guest speaker. There will be special music each night. We extend a cordial welcome to the public.

Rev. Paul Balthaser brought a good Mothers Day message to those present at Hollywood Sunday morning.

Mrs. Paul Balthaser and Mrs. Raymond Franklin from Hollywood attended the B.W.M.U. Associational meeting last Thursday at at Elon Baptist Church.

Congratulations to Hollywood Acteen Group II for receiving the distinguish award for their accomplishments made in their fine work.

The Acteens of Hollywood met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family Monday night.

Relatives and friends were very sorry to hear of the recent death of Mr. Herman Springer, of Buckingham. Deepst sympathy is extended his loved ones.

Friends and relatives are very happy to hear Mrs. Thomas Woodall is recovering nicely after her operation. Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Wingfield spent Saturday with Mrs. Woodall.

Relatives and friends are happy to know Mr. Cecil Sell, of Princeton, W. Va., who recently had surgery is improving and to know Mrs. Francis Brown of Marietta, Ohio, is improving. We pray they both may soon be well.

We pray that Rev. and Mrs. Omah Burnett and Mrs. Dot Garrett may soon be well again.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norcross on the arrival of a baby girl, Heather Mae, last week.

Mrs. Mary Bagby had to go back to Virignia Baptist Hospital Friday for tests. Mrs. Bagby will be receiving test and xrays each week for some time to come.

Mrs. Bagby, Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Woodall were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Whit Woodall, of Lynchburg, Friday.

Mr. H. W. Jenkins spent Sunday morning, Mothers Day, with his mother and sister at the Liberty House Nursing Home in Lynchburg. Miss Cynthia Jenkins, of Lynchburg, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jenkins for Mothers Day.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Bagby Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. James Woodall of Richmond, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Elder, Joanne and Patricia Elder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Julia, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodall and Mr. Thomas Woodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield, of Roanoke, spent a few days last week in Appomattox.

Mr. Walker Webb was a visitor Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Torrence and Mrs. James Conner were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Torrence for Mothers Day in Lynchburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robie Smith and family, of New York, have returned home after visiting Mr. Smith's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Otis Smith.

Mrs. Mary Bagby received word recently of the illness of Mrs. William Joyner of Herndon, Ky., and Mrs. Lucy Beale to Franklin, Va. We wish for each of those a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Mayberry, of Newport News, were luncheon guests Saturday of Mr. Mayberry's sister, Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Carlton Smith and son, Billy, of Oxford, N.C., spent Thursday night with Rev. and Mrs. Otis Smith.

Those visiting Mrs. Mary Bagby Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Inge, Mrs. Edwin Schampel, Mr. and Mrs. James Carson, Mr. Walker Webb, Mr. and Mrs. David Austin and Jane, Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and mrs. David Repass and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith and Mrs. C. R. Banton, of Baltimore, attended preaching services at Hollywood Sunday.

Visitors in the homes of Mrs. Mary Bagby last week were Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Austin, Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McFadden, Mrs. Hal Bryant, Mrs. Connie Franklin, Mrs. Paul Franklin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Almond, Mr. H. W. Jenkins, Mr. R. M. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield, Mrs. M. L. Covington, Mr. and mrs. Kenneth Deaner, Deloris and Dawn Deaner.

Stonewall

"We should, not trust in ourselves but in God." 2 Cor. 1:9

Mrs. Elsie Krantz had as her Sunday guest Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barbour, Mr. and Mrs. Elridge Barbour, Mrs. Nellie Guill and Ann, Mrs. Nellie Proft, of Lynchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Krantz, Connie and Kim visited her mother, Mrs. Taylor, of Lynchburg, for Sunday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alvis, Jr. went to Orange to spend Mothers Day with her mother, Mrs. Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alvis, III and children went to Fincastle to visit her mother Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roupe and family visited his parents in Madison Heights Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace Bondurant is spending a while with her sister, Mrs. Ruby Oakes at Rustburg. She is doing nicely after surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jones Sunday.

Mrs. James Jordan, of Concord, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Booker visited Mrs. Elsie Caldwell and Mrs. Nina Caldwell Sunday.

Saturday Mr. Wallace Bondurant and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler.

The children of Dale and Bonnie Campbell were sick last week but are somewhat better at this writing. Christie almost had pneumonia and Dana had infected ears.

Mrs. Eleanor Roach spent Sunday with Mr. Osborne and Crawford Davidson.

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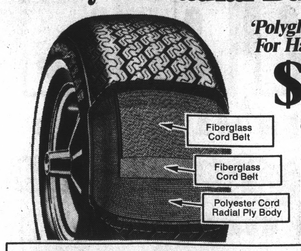

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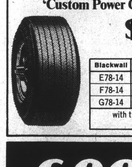

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G78-14	$35.62	J78-15	$39.95

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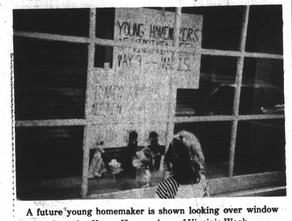
Young homemakers are shown above broadcasting radio program for Young Homemakers of Virginia Week - May 9 - 15. From the left are Joan Holt, Nancy Grishaw, and Jeanette Drinkard.



A future young homemaker is shown looking over window display observing Young Homemakers of Virginia Week.

Y.H.V. Week

May 9 - May 15 is Young Homemakers of Virginia Week. The date is set to include Mother's Day because our club consists of Mothers and/or ladies interested in improving and learning more about home and family life.

The state emphasis for 1976 is "Homemakers Meeting Challenges - Yesterday, Today, Tomorrow". Our main objective will be to develop our decision-making abilities and management skills so we may meet the challenges of home and family living in a time of shortage and crisis.

This week there will be displays and posters in local store windows. Some of our members taped a radio program telling of the different activities and ideas in the Young Homemakers Club. We ladies enjoyed a night out with our husbands for supper and an interesting speaker.

Anyone interested in joining the club can call the Home Economics Department at the high school for more information. We have a very educational and interesting year of monthly programs. The club meets once a month, on the second Thursday, at the high school. The programs are given by the members and authorized personal. Some of our programs have been picture framing and mounting, planting and caring for home gardens and information on writing your own wills. Coming up we plan to have a family picnic, information on juvenile court, physical fitness and flower arrangements. Plans are being made for participation in the Railroad Day Festival in October.

Our advisor is Mrs. Betty Jo Smith, teacher of Home Economics. We are fortunate to have an area officer from Appomattox Chapter, Mrs. Jeanette Drinkard, reporter and historian. Club president is Mrs. Nancy Grishaw; vice president, Mrs. Joan Holt; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Diane Shafter, reporter and historian, Mrs. Rachel Lee. We always welcome new members and guest.

This week the Appomattox Chapter of Young Homemakers joins chapters throughout the state in celebrating Young Homemakers of Virginia Week.

By Club Reporter

Oakville

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Martin were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Clarke Moore and Mrs. Otho Martin, Jr. visited Mrs. Maggie Gardner and Ethel on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son, Mike, of Virginia Beach, and Mr. and Ralph Smith, of Richmond, were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith Saturday night. Joining the Smiths for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Booth and son, Terry, of Spout Spring, and Mrs. Mollie Rogers and James. Visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Joel W. Smith and Joel of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Ray Page entered the Virginia Baptist Hospital Wednesday and had surgery on Thursday. We pray for her a speedy recovery.

Miss Stephanie Martin and girl friend from Virginia Tech visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Marvin Kern, of Alexandria, and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Moore and Jane attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Eugene Kern in Clifton Forge on Sunday.

Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Martin were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Plunkett. Afternoon visitors in the Martin home were Mr. and Mrs. Riley Megginson, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Megginson, Jr., Penny, Pam and Paula, Mrs. Johnnie Kern, Tommy and Vicki, Gordon Martin, Millie and Timmy and Mr. James Martin and Jeffrey Wilcox.

Mrs. Dora Coleman, Mrs. Otho Martin, Jr. and Mr. Herbert Richardson visited Mrs. Elizabeth Kitchen in Buckingham on Wednesday. Mrs. Kitchen enters Duke University this week for treatment.

Mr. Marvin Kern returned to his home in Alexandria on Monday after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Moore.

Mt. Comfort United Methodist Church will celebrate Heritage Sunday, May 23. Activities include a service patterned after services in the 1700's.

Joining Mrs. Dora Coleman at her home Sunday for Mothers Day dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Otho Martin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Lewis and Ricky, Mr. Richard Martin, of Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Michael and Todd and Miss Linda Sullivan.

The children and their families of Mrs. Otho Martin gathered at her home on Sunday for Mothers Day dinner.

Rocks

MAY 10 - It was frost here again Sunday morning.

Sunday was Mothers Day. Those who have mothers don't fail to honor them.

Joe Almond went to see a doctor in Lynchburg last Monday.

Rev. W. H. Elder attended the revival at Central on last Friday night.

Mrs. Ann Vaughan was operated on at Lynchburg General Hospital on Wednesday. A speedy recovery is wished her.

Mrs. Peggy Lewis went to Richmond on Wednesday to see an eye specialist.

Mr. James Lewis and Mrs. B. B. Harris, Sr. accompanied her there.

A few of the ladies attended the W.M.U. annual meeting at Elon Church on Thursday.

The Rocks Quartet went to South Boston last Sunday to give a program of Gospel Music in place of South Hill.

Congratulations to Faith Vaughan who received first place award for the entire state of Virginia on a music essay composition entitled, "Music Opens New Vistas".

The club had its May meeting with Ricky Almond on Thursday night with splendid attendance.

Postmaster Lloyd Richardson made a tour of the mail routes last week.

It was Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Steger who visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn S. Martin, Sr. last Sunday and not setger as st.ted.

The quartet furnished special music for the Mother's Day service on Sunday.

Three plaques, "Praying Hands", were presented the following: The oldest mother present, Mrs. Bettie Ranson; The mother with the most children present, Mrs. Rachel Ranson, 6 children and 4 in-laws. The youngest mother present, Mrs. Nancy Ranson Dawson. These plaques were given by Rev. and Mrs. Donald Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Almond and children went to see the former's brother, Harry, at Western State Hospital on Saturday.

Congratulations to Mrs. Pearl Wilson who won a flower from Superior Trees Nursery on the Birthday Drawing over WITX on Monday.

The Rocks Quartet will be participating in the Gospel Sing at A.H.S. on May 14 in the youth association. Won't you support the youth?

At a 4-H demonstration contest held on April 24 the following from here were top winners: Susan Morris, safety; and Patty Roach, arts and crafts.

Rev. Omah Burnette is on the sick list. A speedy recovery is wished him. Glad to see Katherine Dickerson out Sunday night after being sick.

Mrs. Christine Ranson went to see a doctor in Lynchburg last Thursday. Hope she will be out again soon. Sorry to hear Mrs. Flora Dickerson was sick Sunday and couldn't be out.

Farmers have started planting tobacco around here.

Dave Goin is back home from the hospital.

NAZERATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Phenix, Virginia
Sunday School -10 a.m.
Worship Service - 1st Sunday - 11:30 a.m.
Coming Events:
The Youth Choir is sponsoring

Bake Sale on May 29 - Saturday at 3 p.m. on the grounds. The public is invited.

June 13, 1976 at 4 p.m. Nazereth Baptist Church will have installaton service for their new elected pastor, Dr. K. W. Davis.

Prayer meeting - June 27 - July 2, 1976
7-7:30 nightly
Revival - June 27 - thru July 2, 1976 -7:30 nightly
Homecoming - First Sunday in August

Mrs. E'Prophett, Clerk

Seniors Sponsor Talent Show

The Sunshine Seniors of A.C.H.S. will be displaying their talents on May 21, 1976 at 8 p.m. They will be putting on a talent show to raise money for the senior banquet.

The studes..ts will be showing many talents. Such people as Ann Sears will be portraying Mrs. Holland, the five math teachers. Maryjane Smith and Sue Doss will be playing the guitars.

Many seniors will be performing, so please come and support the senior class

BOY SCOUT PROGRAM PRESENTED TO SPOUT SPRING RURITANS

The Spout Spring Ruritan Club held its monthly meeting May 10 at Maudes Restaurant.

Mr. Neal Golstein, with the Boy Scouts of America, was guest speaker. Slides of Boy Scout activities were shown. There is much that can be larned through Scouting.

Pictured above are, from the left, Bob Williamson and Al Reynolds of the Spout Spring Ruritan Club, and Neal Golstein, who is with the Scouts of Appomattox.

Brought Home 29 Blue Ribbons & 4 Red Ribbons

Receiving top awards in the 1976 Area 4-H Demonstration Contest were 19 Appomattox County 4-H'ers: 1st row: Glen McClenny, Michelle Penn, Shelia Roach, Patty Roach, Chad Deavers, Jody Williams, Charles Womack, Jr., David Coffey and Blair Smith. 2nd Row: Allen Smith, Steve Conner, Laurie McLean, Lisa Moore, Cecil Jacobs, Rob Stewart, Philip Jacobs, Cheryl Walton, Kathy Lewis and Susan Shorter.

The Appomattox County Extension Staff wishes to express appreciation to the parents of the 4-H'ers for their support and cooperation in making this successful day possible.

To The Citizens Of The Town Of Appomattox:

Your support and votes in the May 4 election are deeply appreciated.

Thank you.

Marvin J. House, Jr.

My sincere appreciation to the residents of the Town of Appomattox for their votes, support and all other efforts on my behalf which made it possible for me to be re-elected to the Town Council.

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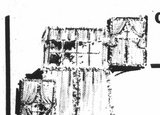

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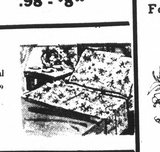

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